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WITH SEGREGATED PALLADIUM SKIN

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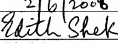
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**AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 10, 2007**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request the following amendments in the above-identified application. The changes made are shown by underlining the added text and striking through the deleted text in bold.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.